101. The fiscal year for the City of Cumberland shall begin on the first day of July in each and every year. All books required to be kept by the several officers as hereinbefore provided, shall be procured by the Mayor and City Council, and the same, together with all papers pertaining thereto, shall be the property of said city, and shall be returned to said Mayor and City Council by the officer or officers required to keep the same, at the end of their term.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1949.

Approved April 29, 1949.

CHAPTER 574

(House Bill 517)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Sections 141A and 141B, Article 8, of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Cecil County," sub-title "County Commissioners," as amended by Chapter 461 of the Acts of 1947, relating to the annual levy by the County Commissioners of Cecil County for the maintenance of the Volunteer Fire Companies in said County.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Sections 141A and 141B, Article 8, of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Cecil County", sub-title "County Commissioners", as amended by Chapter 461 of the Acts of 1947, be and they are hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

141A. The County Commissioners of Cecil County are hereby directed to levy, on the assessable property in Cecil County, annually, the sum of Nine Thousand Six Hundred Dollars (\$9,600.00) for the purpose of assisting in the maintenance of the eight volunteer fire companies in Cecil County, namely, Cecilton Fire Company, Charlestown Fire Company, Inc., Chesapeake City Fire Company, Singerly Fire Company of Elkton, North East Fire Company, Community Fire Company of Perryville, Water Witch Fire Company at Port Deposit and the Rising Sun Fire Company. Levy shall be made in the month of June and the said sum of money to be paid by the County Commissioners of Cecil County to the said volunteer fire companies pro rata. The said County Commissioners